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Sir:

In response to the Final Rejection dated April 26, 2006, applicants respectfully request the Examiner to reconsider the application in view of the following amendments and remarks.

Amendment to the Title is reflected in the amendment provided on page 2 of this paper.

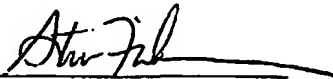
Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.

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